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EPA Region 5 Records Ctr.



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June 9, 1981

United States Environmental
Protection Agency
Region V
Sites Notification
230 South Dearborn
Chicago, Illinois 60604

Subject: Site Notification

Dear Sir:

This notification is sent according to the requirements of Section 103(c) of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act of 1980. Attached is completed EPA Form 8900-1 for each hazardous waste site. To the best of our knowledge these sites represent the only sites which require notification under section 103(c). If we become aware of sites other than the attached, we will submit an EPA Form 8900-1 immediately.

If there are any questions please call Mr. Michael Walker of my staff at 312/294-4456.

Sincerely,

Thomas E. Hemminger
Director of Water Quality

TEH:MEW:pc
Attachment

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EPA Notification of Hazardous Waste Site

United States
Environmental Protection
Agency
Washington DC 20460

This initial-notification information is required by Section 103(c) of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act of 1980 and must be mailed by June 9, 1981.

Please type or print in ink. If you need additional space, use separate sheets of paper. Indicate the letter of the item which applies.

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A Person Required to Notify:

Enter the name and address of the person or organization required to notify.

Name Commonwealth Edison

Street P.O. Box 767

City Chicago

State IL

Zip Code 60690

B Site Location:

Enter the common name (if known) and actual location of the site.

Name of Site Tech Center

Street 1319 S. 1st Avenue

AV

City Maywood

County Cook

State IL

Zip Code 60153

C Person to Contact:

Enter the name, title (if applicable), and business telephone number of the person to contact regarding information submitted on this form.

Name (Last, First and Title) Hemminger, Thomas - Director of Water Quality

Phone 312/294-4433

D Dates of Waste Handling:

Enter the years that you estimate waste treatment, storage, or disposal began and ended at the site.

Approximately

From (Year) 1930

To (Year)

Present 1981

E Waste Type: Choose the option you prefer to complete

Option 1: Select general waste types and source categories. If you do not know the general waste types or sources, you are encouraged to describe the site in Item I—Description of Site.

General Type of Waste:

Place an X in the appropriate boxes. The categories listed overlap. Check each applicable category.

- 1. ☐ Organics
- 2. ☐ Inorganics
- 3. ☐ Solvents
- 4. ☐ Pesticides
- 5. ☐ Heavy metals
- 6. ☐ Acids
- 7. ☐ Bases
- 8. ☒ PCBs
- 9. ☐ Mixed Municipal Waste
- 10. ☐ Unknown
- 11. ☐ Other (Specify)

Source of Waste:

Place an X in the appropriate boxes.

- 1. ☐ Mining
- 2. ☐ Construction
- 3. ☐ Textiles
- 4. ☐ Fertilizer
- 5. ☐ Paper/Printing
- 6. ☐ Leather Tanning
- 7. ☐ Iron/Steel Foundry
- 8. ☐ Chemical, General
- 9. ☐ Plating/Polishing
- 10. ☐ Military/Ammunition
- 11. ☐ Electrical Conductors
- 12. ☒ Transformers
- 13. ☐ Utility Companies
- 14. ☐ Sanitary/Refuse
- 15. ☐ Photofinish
- 16. ☐ Lab/Hospital
- 17. ☐ Unknown
- 18. ☐ Other (Specify)

Option 2: This option is available to persons familiar with the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) Section 3001 regulations (40 CFR Part 261).

Specific Type of Waste:

EPA has assigned a four-digit number to each hazardous waste listed in the regulations under Section 3001 of RCRA. Enter the appropriate four-digit number in the boxes provided. A copy of the list of hazardous wastes and codes can be obtained by contacting the EPA Region serving the State in which the site is located.

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Notification of Hazardous Waste Site

Side Two

F Waste Quantity:

Place an X in the appropriate boxes to indicate the facility types found at the site.

In the "total facility waste amount" space give the estimated combined quantity (volume) of hazardous wastes at the site using cubic feet or gallons.

In the "total facility area" space, give the estimated area size which the facilities occupy using square feet or acres.

Facility Type

1. ☐ Piles
2. ☐ Land Treatment
3. ☐ Landfill
4. ☐ Tanks
5. ☐ Impoundment
6. ☐ Underground Injection
7. ☐ Drums, Above Ground
8. ☐ Drums, Below Ground
9. ☒ Other (Specify) land application and leakage

Total Facility Waste Amount, Unknown

cubic feet

gallons

Total Facility Area

square feet

acres 27.8 **A****G Known, Suspected or Likely Releases to the Environment:**

Place an X in the appropriate boxes to indicate any known, suspected, or likely releases of wastes to the environment.

☐ Known ☒ Suspected ☐ Likely ☐ None

Note: Items H and I are optional. Completing these items will assist EPA and State and local governments in locating and assessing hazardous waste sites. Although completing the items is not required, you are encouraged to do so.

H Sketch Map of Site Location: (Optional)

Sketch a map showing streets, highways, routes or other prominent landmarks near the site. Place an X on the map to indicate the site location. Draw an arrow showing the direction north. You may substitute a publishing map showing the site location.

I Description of Site: (Optional)

Describe the history and present conditions of the site. Give directions to the site and describe any nearby wells, springs, lakes, or housing. Include such information as how waste was disposed and where the waste came from. Provide any other information or comments which may help describe the site conditions.

Tech Center is the current location of Commonwealth Edison's engineering departments, laboratory, electrical equipment storage area, and electrical equipment repair center. In the distant past PCB fluid may have been used as a dust control agent. The Tech Center area runoff is suspected to have discharged PCB contaminated sediment to the Des Plaines River. Soil has been removed in areas of high contamination. Currently area runoff is collected in basins and treated in oil water separators. The sediment which accumulates in the basin and separators are analyzed for PCB and disposed of in a properly permitted landfill.

J Signature and Title:

The person or authorized representative (such as plant managers, superintendents, trustees or attorneys) of persons required to notify must sign the form and provide a mailing address (if different than address in item A). For other persons providing notification, the signature is optional. Check the boxes which best describe the relationship to the site of the person required to notify. If you are not required to notify check "Other".

Name Thomas E. Hemminger,Director of Water QualityStreet P.O. Box 767City ChicagoState IL Zip Code 60690Signature Thomas E. HemmingerDate 6-9-81

- ☒ Owner, Present
☐ Owner, Past
☐ Transporter
☐ Operator, Present
☐ Operator, Past
☐ Other